

## CALFED BAY-DELTA ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION COMMON PROGRAM

- Our current focus is on refinement of a process to develop goals and targets to fulfill our mission statement.
- A goal represents an objective to be set by the Program for a key ecological element. For example: "Identify and protect high-quality habitats and populations of Mason's *Lilaeopsis* throughout its range."

A goal for our Program is relatively fixed and is not intended to change once agreed upon.

- A target represents a qualitative and/or quantitative objective for meeting a specific goal. For example--in the North Delta ecological unit, protect eroding sites, such as on in-channel islands, from further erosion.

Targets may change over the life of the Program as information, insight and experience are gained.

- Goals and targets are being developed from the many existing documents pertaining to the Bay-Delta-River ecosystem and through working sessions with agency and selected stakeholder experts.
- The process and some fully developed examples will be presented at the November 19, 1996 - technical workshop.